

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA**

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GARBAGE BASED ENERGY PROJECT
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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Andhra Pradesh Technical Development Corporation and Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services Limited (IL & FSL) jointly proposed to set up a garbage based energy project in Delhi;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) other steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to solve the power shortage problem in the country?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY (SHRI VILAS MUTTEMWAR)

(a)&(b): Andhra Pradesh Technology Development and Promotion Centre and Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services Ltd. are jointly developing two projects for processing of Municipal Solid Wastes in Delhi for implementation in Public Private Partnership mode. These projects include power generation component of about 16 MW from about 2000 tonnes per day of garbage at Timarpur and Okhla, and about 12 – 15 MW from about 1200 – 1500 tonnes per day of garbage at Ghazipur.

(c): Government is implementing an Accelerated Programme on Energy Recovery from Urban Wastes aimed at processing and treatment of garbage for safe disposal and to augment power generation in urban centres. The Programme provides for financial and fiscal incentives for setting up projects for energy recovery from urban wastes including garbage. During a hearing on Writ Petition No. 888 held on May 6, 2005, Hon'ble Supreme Court of India has stayed any further subsidies by Government for projects on energy recovery from Municipal Solid Waste.